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Town Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, ROCKINGHAM, SS.

[L. S.]

To the Inhabitants of the Town of New Castle qualified to vote in Town affairs :—

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall on the second Tuesday of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

1. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

2. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum as stated in the budget.

4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money necessary for the payment of all Town Officers and contingent expenses for the year ensuing.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of highways and bridges for the year ensuing.

6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the permanent improvement of highways for the year ensuing.

7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for state aid construction of highways for the year ensuing.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for state aid maintenance of highways for the year ensuing.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money necessary for the maintenance of street lights for the year ensuing.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the public library for the year ensuing.

11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the poor for the year ensuing.

12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for patriotic purposes for the year ensuing.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary for the payment of the town note due June 1, 1922.

14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum necessary for the payment of interest on town notes for the year ensuing.

15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the salary of the Collector of Taxes for the year ensuing.

16. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on taxes paid within a limited time.

17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for discounts on taxes for the year ensuing.

18. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money on the credit of the town.

19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the salaries of the Water Commissioners for the year ensuing.

20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs to Town Hall.

21. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal in said Town of New Castle this 25th day of February, A. D. 1922.

CHAS. F. PROHASKA, JR.,
FRANK K. DEARBORN,
WILLIAM E. GOODRICH,
Selectmen of New Castle, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant Attest :

CHARLES F. PROHASKA, JR.,
FRANK K. DEARBORN,
WILLIAM E. GOODRICH.

To the Citizens and Taxpayers:

In view of certain representations made to you concerning the manner in which we have administered the affairs of our office, we beg leave to submit for your consideration the following communication, which is self-explanatory.

CHAS. F. PROHASKA, JR.,
WILLIAM B. GUPTILL, JR.,
Board of Selectmen.

STATE TAX COMMISSION
NEW HAMPSHIRE

Albert O. Brown, Chairman,
Manchester.
John T. Amey,
Lancaster.
Fletcher Hale, Secretary,
Laconia.

Concord, March 22, 1921.

Charles F. Prohaska, Jr.,
Newcastle, N. H.:

Dear Sir,—This is to let you know that I found the books of the Selectmen of the Town of New Castle for the last fiscal year in very good condition, the taxes properly assessed according to law, and everything else in good condition. There was quite a respectable balance in the treasury on February 1st, 1921, and the town debt had been decreased during the year.

Yours truly,

STATE TAX COMMISSION,
By L. F. Whittemore, Assistant.

LFW:F.

Town Officers

Town Clerk—Fred R. Noyes.

Selectmen and Assessors—Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., 3 years; Frank K. Dearborn, 2 years; Wallace E. Batson, 1 year*; William E. Goodrich, (appointed).

Treasurer—James E. Sylvester.

Tax Collector—Wayne D. Poole.

Auditor—Wm. B. Guptill, Jr.

Road Agent—Raymond A. Piper.

Police and Constable—Irving Cummins.

Police and Constable—Henry E. Campbell.

Overseers of Poor—Three Selectmen.

Board of Health—Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., Frank K. Dearborn, William E. Goodrich, Jesse O. White.

Library and Cemetery Fund Trustees—James W. Pridham, 1 year; Henry Becker, 2 years; Edwin D. Rand, 3 years.

Fish and Game Warden—Elmer S. Pridham.

Water Commissioners—Charles F. Prohaska, Jr., 1 year; James W. Pridham, 2 years; Oliver M. Littlefield, 3 years.

* Resigned.

Inventory

Land and Buildings	$477,875.00
Horses (10)	1,050.00
Cows (10)	1,065.00
Vehicles (40)	400.00
Boats and Launches	450.00
Municipal Bonds and Notes	4,750.00
Stock in National Banks	2,400.00
Money on hand and at interest	15,251.96
Stock in trade	625.00
Toll Bridges	3,500.00
Rockingham County Light & Power Co.	4,139.00
	$511,505.96

Amount of Taxes and Rates

Amount of taxes committed to Collector	$13,376.14
Average rate per cent. of taxation	.0240
Amount exempted to soldiers	5,700.00

Appropriations

County tax	$1,230.12
State tax	1,660.00
Special tax	441.00
Town officers' salaries	200.00
Contingent expenses	700.00
Repairs to highways and Bridges	250.00
Permanent improvement	765.00
State aid maintenance	400.00
Street lighting	729.54
Public library	215.00
Interest on water notes	379.75
Salaries Water Commissioners	75.00
Sea wall and repairing	600.00
Schools	4,501.48
Overlay	481.00
Collector's commission	326.25
	$12,954.14

Budget of the Town of New Castle, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, Feb. 1, 1922, to Jan. 31, 1923, Compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, Feb. 1, 1921, to Jan. 31, 1922.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1921	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1922	Increase	Decrease
From State :				
Insurance tax	$ 2.06	$ 2.06		
Railroad tax	7.44	7.44		
Savings bank tax	653.25	653.25		
For highways—				
For state aid maintenance	397.31	600.00	202.69	
From Local Sources				
Except Taxes :—				
All licenses and permits except dog licenses	313.20	475.00	28.93	
Interest received on taxes and deposits	37.21	40.00	2.79	
Income of departments :				
highways, sewers, etc.	60.00			$60.00
Cr. road oil	11.63			
From Poll Taxes :	883.00	800.00		83.00
Property and polls previous yrs.	468.50			
Revenue which must be paid to Other Governmental Divisions :				
Dog licenses to schools	28.20	28.00		.20
Total Revenues from all sources except property taxes	$2,861.80	$2,605.75	$234.41	$143.20
Amount raised by property taxes	11,143.55	13,000.00	797.07	
Total Revenues	$14,005.35	$15,605.75	$1,031.48	$143.20

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expend. Previous Year 1921	Estimated Expend. Ensuing Year 1922	Increase	Decrease
Current Maintenance Expenses :				
General Government—				
Town officers' salaries	$220.00	$275.00	$55.00	
Town officers' expenses	1,000.90	900.00		$100.90
Election and registration expenses	28.00	120.00	92.00	
Care and supplies for town hall	28.46	30.00	1.54	
Protection of Persons and Property—				
Police department	31.00	35.00	4.00	
Health—				
Health department	46.20	75.00	28.80	
Vital statistics	19.40	25.00	5.60	
Highways and Bridges—				
State aid maintenance,				
State's contribution	412.25	600.00	187.75	
Town's contribution	412.26	600.00	187.74	
Town maintenance	294.16	3,000.00	2,705.84	
Street lighting	729.60	729.60		
General expenses of highway department	55.54	250.00	197.46	
Education—				
Libraries	215.00	215.00		
Charities—County poor	176.00			
Town poor	177.97	200.00	22.03	
Patriotic Purposes—				
Memorial Day and other celebrations	10.00	10.00		
Public Service Enterprises—				
Cemeteries	5.00	2.50		2.50
Interest—				
On long-term notes	379.75	358.75		21.00
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:				
Highways and Bridges—				
Town construction, per. improvement	123.05	511.00	387.95	

State aid construction,				
Town's contribution		766.50	766.50	
State's contribution		306.40	306.40	
Construction Seawalls	1,080.06	800.00		280.06
Sewer Construction	93.18			93.18
Indebtedness :				
Payment on Principal of Debt—Long term notes		700.00	700.00	
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions :				
State taxes	1,444.25	2,107.00	Difference by Cr. State Tax	
County taxes	1,230.12	1,230.12		
Payments to School Districts	3,346.28	4,600.00	Difference by Cr. Due Schools	
Poll taxes to State	374.00	324.00		
Total expenditures	$11,932.43	$19,028.37	$5,647.07	$547.64

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE TAX COMMISSION

Uniform Municipal Accounts
Laws 1917, Chap. 57, as Amended by Laws 1921, Chap. 60

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

Town of New Castle, N. H., in Rockingham County

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1922

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Dated February 10, 1922.

CHAS. F. PROHASKA, JR.,
FRANK K. DEARBORN,
WILLIAM E. GOODRICH,
Selectmen.
JAMES E. SYLVESTER,
Treasurer.

Assets

Cash :—		
In hands of Treasurer	$3,730.01	
In hands of other officials, Town Clerk, motor vehicle	150.87	$3,880.88
Sinking Funds :—		
(a) Cash set aside for repairs to crusher	284.31	
(b) Cash belonging to sinking funds in banks	227.28	511.59
Accounts Due to the Town —		
Due from State :		
(a) Joint highway accounts, unexpended balances in State treasury	41.76	
(b) Town unexpended balances in Town treasury	41.76	
(c) Permanent improvement, Town treasury	641.95	
Due from County :		
County poor and dependent soldier	235.50	960.97
Taxes not collected :		
(a) Levy of 1921	599.64	
(b) Levy of 1920	42.55	
(c) Levy of 1919	17.92	
(d) Levy of 1918, none		
(e) Previous years	1,068.85	1,728.96
Total Assets		7,082.40
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)		5,900.15
Grand total		$12,982.55

Net debt—Surplus, January 31, 1921	$6,781.87
Net debt—Surplus, January 31, 1922	5,900.15
Decrease of debt	$881.72

Purpose for which debt was created—water mains.

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town—		
Bills outstanding	$227.40	$227.40
Due to School Districts: (a) Dog licenses	28.20	
(b) School Department	1,501.48	1,529.68
State and Town joint highway accounts:		
(a) Unexpended bal. in State treasury	41.76	
(b) Unexpended bal. in Town treasury	41.76	
Permanent improvement in Town treasury	641.95	725.47
Long Term Notes Outstanding:—		
Water Mains	10,500.00	10,500.00
Total liabilities		$12,982.55
Grand Total		$12,982.55

Receipts

Current Revenue:			
From Local Taxes:			
Property taxes committed to Collector, 1921	$12,276.14		
Less discounts and abatements, 1921	11,547.19		
Less uncollected, 1921	10,847.55		
Property taxes, current year, actually collected.		$11,143.55	
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 16, @ $3		48.00	
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 167, @ $5		835.00	
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected		468.50	
Total of above collections			$12,495.05
From State:			
For highways—State aid maintenance		397.31	397.31
Insurance tax		2.06	
Railroad tax		7.44	
Savings bank tax		653.25	

From Local Sources except Taxes :		
Dog licenses	28.20	
Business licenses and permits	18.00	
Interest received on taxes	37.21	
Permits for the registration of motor vehicles	295. 20	
Entering sewer, Atkinson	60.00	
Cr. by road oil	11.63	450.24
Total Current Revenue Receipts		$13,342.60
Total Receipts from All Sources		$13,342.60
Cash on hand February 1, 1921		2,319.84
Grand total		$15,662.44

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses :—		
General Government :		
Town officers' salaries	$145.00	
Town officers' expenses	987.90	
Election and registration expenses	28.00	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	28.46	$1,189.36
Protection of Persons and Property :		
Police department, including care of tramps	31.00	31.00
Health :		
Health department, including hospitals	46.20	
Vital statistics	19.40	
Sewer maintenance	93.18	158.78
Highways and Bridges :		
State aid maintenance	824.51	
Town maintenance	294.16	
Street lighting and sprinkling	729.60	
General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs	55.54	1,903.81
Libraries :		
Libraries	215.00	215.00
Charities :		
Town poor	177.97	
County poor	176.00	353.97
Patriotic Purposes :		
Aid to G. A. R. and Memorial Day exercises	10.00	10.00

Publit Service Enterprises :		
Appropriation to water and electric utilities	75.00	
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	5.00	80.00
Unclassified :		
Damages and legal expenses	13.00	13.00
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$3,954.92
Interest :—		
Paid on long term notes	379.75	
Total Interest Payments		379.75
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements :		
Highways and bridges—permanent improvement	123.05	
Highways and bridges—town construction, sea wall and railing—Cape	571.23	
Town construction, Piscataqua St. sea wall	508.83	1,203.11
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions :—		
187 poll taxes to State	374.00	
Taxes paid to State	1,444.25	
Taxes paid to County	1,230.12	
Payments to School Districts	3,346.28	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		6,394.65
Total Payments for All Purposes		$11,932.43
Cash on hand January 31, 1922		3,730.01
Grand total		$15,662.44

Schedule of Town Property

Description	Value
Town hall, lands and buildings	$2,000.00
Furniture and equipment	800.00
Highway department, lands and buildings, equipment, materials and supplies	1,000.00
Total	$3,800.00

Town Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

1921		
Mar. 7,	Received of Fred R. Noyes, Town Clerk, motor vehicle tax of 1921	$27.20
Apr. 26,	Received of John W. Pridham, entering sewer	20.00
June 1,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1920	468.50
	interest on taxes of 1920	13.31
	taxes of 1921	268.00
June 14,	Received of Fred R. Noyes, Town Clerk, motor vehicle tax of 1921	67.40
July 29,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1921	4,014.55
Aug. 2,	Received of Chas. F. Prohaska, Jr., Chairman of Selectmen, peddler's license of J. Brodbard	1.00
Aug. 12,	Received of Chas. F. Prohaska, Jr., Chairman of Selectmen, peddler's license of Louis Lampson	1.00
Aug. 16,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1921	2,993.43
Aug. 16,	Received of G. B. Ricker, entering sewer	20.00
Aug. 24,	Received of Chas. F. Prohaska, Jr., Chairman of Selectmen, peddler's license of Chris. Lewis	1.00
Aug. 26,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1921	929.49
Aug. 31,	Received of Chas. F. Prohaska, Jr., Chairman of Selectmen, peddler's license of J. Brodbard	5.00
Aug. 31,	Received of Chas. F. Prohaska, Jr., Chairman of Selectmen, peddler's license of Louis Lampson	5.00
Sept. 2,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1921	1,623.50
Sept. 6,	Received of Chas. F. Prohaska, Jr., Chairman of Selectmen, peddler's licence of Chris. Lewis	5.00
Sept. 16,	Received of Richard E. Poole, entering sewer	20.00
Sept. 21,	Received of W. N. Souter, for crushed stone	11.63
Oct. 4,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1921	703.13
Nov. 4,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1921	485.69
Dec. 6,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes, taxes of 1921	428.43

1922		
Jan. 10,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes,	
	taxes of 1921	$366.23
	interest on taxes of 1911	18.90
Jan. 28,	Received of John W. Plummer, State Treasurer,	
	from highway dept.	397.31
Jan. 31,	Received of Fred R. Noyes, Town Clerk, dog licenses of 1921	28.20
	motor vehicle tax of 1922	200.60
Jan. 31,	Received of Wayne D. Poole, Collector of Taxes,	
	taxes of 1921	214.10
	interest on taxes of 1921	5.00
	Total receipts to date	$13,342.60
	Cash on hand in bank, Jan. 31, 1921	2,319.84
	Grand total receipts	$15,662.44

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's vouchers paid	$11,932.43
Cash on hand in bank Jan. 31, 1922	3,730.01
Grand total	$15,662.44

To the Selectmen :—

The above correct statement of my account as Town Treasurer, for the year ending Jan. 31, 1922.

JAMES E. SYLVESTER,
Town Treasurer.

Report of Highway Department

Sea Wall and Railing, Cape Road—	
Appropriation	$600.00
Total payments	571.23
Balance	$28.77
Sea Wall and Railing, Piscataqua Street—	
Motor vehicle appropriation	
Total payments	$508.83
Highways and Bridges—	
Payments	$294.16
Appropriation	250.00
Taken from Cr. from State	$44.16
State Aid—	
Balance in Town and State, per Jan. 31, 1921	$108.03
Appropriation, 1921, Town	400.00
State	400.00
Total	$908.03
Payments	824.51
Balance	$83.52
Permanent Improvements—	
Appropriation	$765.00
Payments	123.05
Balance	$641.95
Sewer Department—	
Payments	$93.18
General Expense Highway Dept.	$55.54

(Signed) R. A. PIPER,
Road Agent.

Report of the Trustees of the Public Library

For the Year Ending January 31, 1922

RECEIPTS

1921		
Jan. 31, Cash on hand for current expenses		$27.00
Received from town		215.00
		$242.00

EXPENDITURES

Gladys H. Barker, Librarian	$135.00	
A. W. Hanscom, rent	61.00	
C. E. Walker & Co., fuel	17.25	
Rockingham County Light & Power Co., for electric lights	13.80	227.05
Balance on hand for current expenses		$14.95

HENRY BECKER,
JAMES W. PRIDHAM,
EDWIN D. RAND,
Trustees.

I hereby certify I have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WM. B. GUPTILL, JR., *Auditor.*

Motor Vehicle Report

From January 31, 1921, to February 1, 1922

1921		
Feb. 2,	Frank P. Davis	$ 1.32
Feb. 10,	George K. Piper	1.32
Feb. 11,	Charles F. Prohaska, Jr.	22.50
Feb. 19,	Lieut. Adrian B. Smith	Exempt
Mar. 4,	Harley B. Lawrence	1.32
Mar. 5,	Major Charles Banks	Exempt
Mar. 9,	Charles Ricker	3.33
Mar. 16,	Frank Thomson	1.14
Mar. 17,	Joseph Boylston	3.55
Mar. 17,	LeRoy W. Haywood	2.35
Mar. 23,	S. E. Batson	2.07
Mar. 24,	Charles Howe	1.32
Apr. 7,	Mrs. Virginia L. Hodge	3.80
Apr. 5,	Dr. Wm. Souter	3.80
Apr. 11,	Clyde Blaisdell	8.67
Apr. 11,	William F. Poole	3.21
Apr. 12,	E. P. Jolls	Exempt
Apr. 15,	Wentworth Hotel Co.	7.68
Apr. 16,	Elmer E. Eaton	6.30
Apr. 16,	R. O. Davidson	1.47
Apr. 20,	J. A. Mahoney	3.45
Apr. 20,	Charles F. Prohaska, Jr.	2.07
Apr. 20,	Richard Poole	4.72
Apr. 26,	Charles Shuler	1.57
Apr. 27,	Oliver B. Marvin	7 80
May 5,	Charles Hussey	2.22
May 14,	Sarah J. Campbell	8.67
May 16,	William B. Guptill, Jr.	5.35
May 19,	Alonzo C. Piper	12.00
May 31,	Wentworth Hotel Co.	2.95
May 31,	Wentworth Hotel Co.	2.95
June 10,	Mrs. S. E. Barrett	6 30
June 10,	Mrs. S. E. Barrett	62.28
June 10,	Virgil Inman	Exempt
June 10,	Clifford Collins	.90
June 16,	Richard E. Poole	9.54
June 17,	Lucien G. Ogles	Exempt
June 22,	Ira Cochran	Exempt

June 27, T. G. Jackson		$10.96
July 11, Francis B. Lovell		10.50
July 13, T. R. Lessley		12.00
July 30, E. P. Jolls	Exempt	
Sept. 2, R. E. Livermore	Exempt	
Aug. 6, Harley Lawrence		8.67
Sept. 8, Fred P. Greene		5.61
Sept. 11, J. W. Pennington	Exempt	
Sept. 28, J. A. Cox		5.06
Nov. 12, Edmund C. Tarbell		28.05
Jan. 1, Elmer E. Eaton		6.82
Jan. 1, Guy A. Dow		1.95
Jan. 1, Edmund Tarbell		56.10
Jan. 1, Charles Ricker		2.59
Jan. 1, Haven Johnson		15.25
Jan. 1, Haven Johnson		12.25
Jan. 1, Haven Johnson		7.00
Jan. 1, Raymond Piper		3.85
Jan. 1, Charles F. Prohaska, Jr.		22.75
Jan. 1, Edmund Tarbell		8.65
Jan. 1, Clyde Blaisdell		8.67
Jan. 1, E. P. Jolls	Exempt	
Jan. 3, Sarah J. Campbell		8.67
Jan. 5, William Tarlton		2.75
Total amount received		$446.07
Paid to the Town Treasurer		$446.07

FRED R. NOYES,
Town Clerk.

I hereby certify I have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WM. B. GUPTILL, JR.,
Auditor.

Dog Licenses

The following is a list of dog licenses paid to the Town Clerk up to January 31, 1922 :

Date Paid	Owner's Name	No.	Dog's Name	Am't
1921				
Apr. 26	Norma B. Tanko	9	Towser	$2.00
Apr. 26	Charles L. Banks	16	Helvetia	2.00
Apr. 29	Ruth A. Marvin	2	Jock	2.00
Apr. 29	John P. Tilton	18	Dandy	2.00
Apr. 29	Harry S. Yeaton	4	Bunney	2.00
Apr. 29	A. E. Lampson	30	Jack	2.00
Apr. 30	Henry Becker, Jr.	17	Jerry	2.00
May 2	Mrs. F. G. Batson	18	Bess	2.00
May 10	Mrs. Gladys Barker	8	Doctor	2.00
May 10	Fred R. Noyes	10	Laddie	2.00
June 1	Rev. G. L. Hanscom	5	Queen	5.00
June 10	Clifford Collins	20	Rover	2.00
Oct. 11	George M. Guptill	6	Skip	2.00
Jan. 31	Mrs. Pearl D. Poole	3	Laddie	2.00
	Total amount received			$31.00
Clerk's fees				2.80
	Paid to Town Treasurer			$28.20

FRED R. NOYES,
Town Clerk.

I hereby certify I have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WM. B. GUPTILL, JR.,
Auditor.

Collector's Report

For the Year Ending January 31, 1922

Taxes per warrant, 1921 :—		
Property tax	$12,276.14	
Poll tax	1,100.00	
Additional poll tax	69.00	
Additional property tax	12.00	
Total amount of tax warrant		$13,457.14
Taxes of 1921 collected :—		
Property tax	$11,143.55	
Poll tax	883.00	
Total amount of taxes of 1921 collected	$12,026.55	
Discounts allowed on taxes of 1921	653.43	
Property tax of 1921 in hands of collector	83.16	
Poll tax of 1921 in hands of collector	15.00	
Property tax of 1921 abated	75.52	
Taxes non-collectable, 1921	102.00	12,955.66
Total amount of taxes of 1921 outstanding Jan. 31, 1922		$501.48
Receipts of Collector :—		
Property tax of 1921	$11,143.55	
Poll tax of 1921	883.00	
Taxes of 1920	468.50	
Interest on taxes of 1920	13.31	
Interest on taxes of 1921	23.90	
Total amount of taxes collected		$12,532.26
Payments of Collector to Treasurer :—		
June 1, 1921	$749.81	
July 29, 1921	4,014.55	
Aug. 16, 1921	2,993.43	
Aug. 26, 1921	929.49	
Sept. 2, 1921	1,623.50	
Oct. 4, 1921	703.13	
Nov. 4, 1921	485.69	
Dec. 6, 1921	428.43	
Jan. 10, 1922	385.13	
Jan. 31, 1922	219.10	
Total paid Treasurer		$12,532.26

Receipts by order of Selectmen :—

Collector's commission on $12,532.26 @ .02%	$313.31
Collector's fee reporting tax sales to Register of Deeds	3.25
Services as election officer, March 8, 1921	4.50
Stamps and office supplies	7.85
Register of Deeds, fee recording tax sales	3.25
	$332.16

DISBURSEMENTS

May 2, 1921.	Stamps	$2.00
June 15, 1921.	Stamps	2.00
Aug. 10, 1921.	Stamps	2.00
Dec. 20, 1921.	Stamps and office supplies	1.85
Dec. 21, 1921.	Paid Register of Deeds, recording tax sales	3.25
		$11.10

WAYNE D. POOLE,
Collector of Taxes.

Report of Water Commissioners

ASSETS		
Outstanding on services	$193.10	
Outstanding on water	824.50	
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1922	401.30	$1,418.90
WATER REVENUE		
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1921	$1,176.65	
Water revenue collected	793.44	1,970.09
PAYMENTS		
Total water and service payments		1,568.79
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1922		$401 30
SALARIES		
Received from Selectmen		$75.00
Payments		75.00

CHARLES F. PROHASKA, JR.,
JAMES W. PRIDHAM,
OLIVER M. LITTLEFIELD.

Treasurer's Report of Water Account

RECEIPTS

1921		
Feb. 8,	from G. Trussell, for water	$ 4.50
Feb. 20,	from Richard Poole, for water	12.00
Apr. 15,	from F. J. Cousins, for water	4.50
Aug. 16,	from Louise Doane, for water	9.00
Aug. 16,	from George Simpson, for water	4.50
Aug. 16,	from B. F. Curtis, for water	9.00
Aug. 16,	from C. A. Becker, for water	15.00
Aug. 16,	from S. H. Harding, for water	15.00
Aug. 18,	from William Cotton, for water	11.50
Aug. 18,	from Joseph Boylston, for water	20.00
Aug. 20,	from Thomas Barber, for water	7.25
Aug. 20,	from Annie Neal, for water	18.00
Aug. 22,	from L. A. Scott, for water	2.50
Aug. 22,	from Mrs. J. Flint, for water	15.50
Aug. 23,	from Mrs. Wm. Marvin, for water	15.00
Aug. 24,	from Chas. Prohaska, Sr., for water	9.00
Sept. 6,	from Annie Amazeen, for water	9.00
Sept. 6,	from Curtis Hotel, for water	20.50
Sept. 6,	from Wm. Marvin, for water	9.00
Sept. 6,	from J. W. Robinson, for water	6.00
Sept. 6,	from Nellie Harrison, for water	6.75
Sept. 6,	from Chas. Prohaska, Sr., for water	9.00
Sept. 6,	from Nellie Card, for water	9.00
Sept. 6,	from P. Alnas, repairs to meter	1.00
Sept. 6,	from P. Alnas, for water	15.00
Sept. 6,	from Chas. H. Giles, for water	9.00
Sept. 6,	from Louise Brown, for water	6.25
Sept. 16,	from Helena Trefethen, for water	9.00
Sept. 16,	from Jas. W. White, for water	9.00
Sept. 17,	from Alden White, for water	7.50
Sept. 21,	from Edwin Rand, for water	15.00
Sept. 21,	from Jennie Britton, for water	9.00
Sept. 21,	from Isaac Pridham, for water	9.00
Sept. 22,	from Albert Hanscom, for water	27.00
Sept. 22,	from Mrs. Grogan, for water	9.00
Sept. 22,	from Chas. Shuler, for water	15.00
Sept. 22,	from Joseph Rand, for water	11.50
Sept. 24,	from Carl Behr, for water	16.25
Sept. 25,	from Maude Trefethen, for water	12.75

Sept. 27, from Thomas Leary, for water	$10.50
Oct. 4, from R. E. Poole, for water	39.00
Oct. 4, from Mable Williams, for water	9.00
Oct. 4, from Alice Frye, for water	3.25
Oct. 5, from E. E. Eaton, for water	21.00
Oct. 14, from Thomas Davidson, for water	6.25
Oct. 14, from J. W. Amazeen, for water	15.00
Oct. 14, from O. B. Marvin, for water	13.50
Oct. 22, from Rufus Emery, for water	9.00
Oct. 31, from Esther Poole, for water	21.84
Oct. 31, from Heirs of Thomas Rand, for water	9.00
Oct. 31, from O. C. Amazeen, for water	6.00
Oct. 31, from John Davidson, for water	7.75
Nov. 14, from Geo. Davidson, for water	9.00
Nov. 22, from Mrs. Jas. Baker, for water	8.50
Nov. 22, from Clarence White, for water	7.09
Dec. 10, from Geo. Randall, for water	12.00
Dec. 21, from J. E. Sylvester, for water	13.50
1922	
Jan. 1, from W. I. Haywood, for water	15.28
Jan. 10, from Forrest Becker, for water	9.00
Jan. 10, from Town of New Castle, for salaries	75.00
Jan. 31, from Wm. Tarlton, for water	12.00
Jan. 31, from Elias Tarlton, for water	13.30
Jan. 31, from Chas. Prohaska, Jr., for water	18.93
Total receipts	$793.44
Cash on hand in bank, Jan. 31, 1921	1,176.65
Grand total	1,970.09
Selectmen's orders paid	1,568.79
Cash on hand in bank, Jan. 31, 1922	$401.30

To the Selectmen :—

The above correct statement of my account as Town Treasurer for the water account, for the year ending Jan. 31, 1922.

JAMES E. SYLVESTER,
Town Treasurer.

Report of Trust Funds of the Town of New Castle

On January 31, 1922

Jane P. Tarlton fund, for care of burial lot; created Feb. 27, 1909. Invested in Portsmouth Savings Bank; rate of interest 3½%.

Amount of principal		$200.00
Balance of income on hand at beginning of year		242.10
Income during year	$8.55	
Expended during year	1.50	
Balance of income on hand at end of year		249.15

Edward B. Baker fund, for care of burial lot; created Nov. 10, 1921. Invested in Trust and Guarantee Bank; rate of interest 4%.

Amount of principal	$100.00
Balance of income on hand at end of year	100.00

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

EDWIN D. RAND,
JAMES W. PRIDHAM,
HENRY BECKER,
Trustees.

February 13, 1922.

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WM. B. GUPTILL, JR.,
Auditor.

Report of the Board of Education

The School Board respectfully submits the annual report, as required by law, for fiscal year ending June 30, 1921. It also submits a statement of receipts and expenditures to January 31st of the current year. We wish to thank the Board of Selectmen for their co-operation.

HENRY M. CUSKLEY,
FRED R. NOYES,
RICHARD E. POOLE,
Board of Education.

Financial Report

New Castle School District, Sept. 1, 1920, to July 1, 1921

RECEIPTS

From State :—		
High school tuition rebate (from Selectmen)	$99.00	
Equalization (State aid)	461.32	$560.32
From Selectmen, raised by taxation—		
For the support of elementary schools	$2,547.18	
High school and academy tuition	660.00	
Salaries of district officers	55.00	
Administration and equipment, junior high	475.00	
Repairs and remodeling	500.00	
Per capita tax	190.00	4,427.18
From sources other than taxation—		
Dog licenses (from Selectmen)	26.10	26.10
Total receipts from all sources		$5,013.60
Total cash on hand Sept, 1, 1920		148.11
Grand total		$5,161.71

PAYMENTS

Administration—		
Salaries of district officers	$47.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	40.53	
Truant officers and school census	5.00	
Expenses of administration	46.65	$ 139.18
Instruction—		
Principal's and teachers' salaries	$2,425.00	
Text books	161.56	

Scholars' supplies	$200.85	
Flags and appurtenances	10.50	
Other expenses of instruction	5.37	2,803.28
Operation and maintenance of school plant—		
Janitor service	$150.00	
Fuel	174.50	
Water, light and janitors' supplies	17.50	
Minor repairs and expenses	117.63	459.63
Auxiliary agencies and special activities—		
Medical inspection	$20.00	
High school and academy tuition	435.00	455.00
Outlay for construction and equipment—		
Alterations of old buildings	$301.97	
New equipment	443.93	745.90
Debt, interest and other charges—		
Tax for state-wide supervision ($2 per capita)	$188.00	188.00
Total payments for all purposes		$4,790.99
Total cash on hand June 30, 1921		370.72
Grand total		$5,161.71

BALANCE SHEET

Assets July 1, 1921—	
General fund cash	$370.72
Ex. liabilities over assets	000.00
Grand total	$370.72
Liabilities July 1, 1921—	
Total liabilities	$000.00
Ex. assets over liabilities	370.72
Grand total	$370.72

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY M. CUSKLEY,
R. E. POOLE,
FRED R. NOYES,
School Board.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the school district of New Castle, which the within is a summary, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROY J. PROHASKA,
Auditor.

Financial Report

Of School District, New Castle, from Sept. 1, 1920, to July 1, 1921

RECEIPTS

Sept. 1, 1920, balance on hand	$148.11	
Sept. 28, 1920, from Selectmen	1,000.00	
Nov. 10, 1920, from Selectmen	1,192.00	
Dec. 7, 1920, from Selectmen	715.00	
Jan. 7, 1921, from Selectmen	99.00	
Jan. 29, 1921, from Selectmen	1,200.00	
Mar. 24, 1921, from State Treasurer	246.04	
Apr. 29, 1921, from Selectmen	346.28	
May 27, 1921, from State Treasurer	215.28	
Total receipts		$5,161.71
Expenditures		4,790.99
Cash on hand July 1, 1921		$370.72

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROY J. PROHASKA,
Auditor.

Financial Statement to Jan. 31, 1922

Cash on hand July 1, 1921	$ 370.72	
Receipts from Selectmen	3,000.00	$3,370.72
Expenditures		2,253.21
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1922		$1,117.51

WAYNE D. POOLE,
School Treasarer.

Financial Statement to January 31, 1922

EXPENDITURES

Salaries district officers	$75.00
Superintendent's excess salary	65.78
Per capita tax	188.00
Teachers' salaries	1,175.00
Text books	17.63
Supplies	78.81
Expenses of administration	25.41
Janitor's salary	40.00

Fuel	$ 28.00	
Minor repairs and expenses	220.85	
Medical inspection	20.00	
High school tuition	275.00	
New equipment	43.73	
Total expended	$2,253.21	
Amount received from Town Treasurer		$3,000.00
Cash on hand July 1, 1921		370.72
Total		$3,370.72
Expended		2,252.21
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1922		$1,117.51

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the New Castle School Board :—

I am pleased to submit my third annual report as Superintendent of Schools. I also transmit to you the report of the School Physician, and the tabulation of the customary school statistics.

WORK OF THE YEAR

A careful diagnosis of the scores made in the standard tests, which were given in the fundamental subjects last spring, shows marked improvement over the work of the preceding year, particularly in arithmetic and writing, those subjects in which low scores were made the previous year. In only one grade, the 7th last year, was there a low score made in writing, and in arithmetic the scores in all grades were as good or better than the standard. In the other fundamental subjects, reading, spelling and composition, low scores were made in only two grades, the 4th and 5th in composition, and the 5th grade in reading comprehension. The results of these standard tests corroborate our personal observation and opinion that our teaching last year was much more effective because of our reorganization of the work so that we did not have more than three grades to any one teacher.

TEACHERS

Only one of our staff of teachers concluded her services with us last June. We were able to secure Miss Ellen C. Hoitt to fill this vacancy, who has done very good work. All our teachers are doing excellent work, considering their professional training and experience. None of them are perfect, few of us are, but with strong backing that we feel justified in expecting from all school officials and parents and from the community in general, we hope to produce satisfactory results.

ATTENDANCE

The per cent of attendance, 94, last year was the best it has been for the past three years. The number of cases of tardiness last year was 285, or 159 less than for the previous year. This is a creditable improvement, yet there ought not to be more than one-third as many tardinesses. I like to believe that both this improvement in attendance and tardiness is an indication of a more serious purpose on the

part of the pupils themselves, as well as due to the hearty co-operation of the parents with the teachers.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS

In my report of last year and the previous year, I mentioned some of the defects in our present school plant, and so will only refer you to those sections for further consideration.

HEALTH SUPERVISION

A study of the report of the school physician does not show the excellent results from the physical examination it ought to, since out of a total number of 146 defects found the previous year, no cases are reported as having been treated. The most frequent defect found again proves to be defective teeth, showing the great need of a dental clinic for New Castle children. The results of the health supervision, I believe, show the urgent need of a school or community nurse for the very important "follow-up work" in getting more pupils treated, thereby making them better mentally as well as more physically fit for their school and life work.

In closing, I wish to express my appreciation of your counsel and cordial support, and of the co-operation of the parents and teachers in making the school work a success.

Respectfully submitted,

C. H. WALKER.

Hampton, N. H., Feb. 13, 1922.

Health Supervision

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Summary, District of New Castle, Grades 1 to 8
Date of Examination, June 9, 1921

Number of pupils examined..... 60
Number of teachers examined..... 3

	No. Cases Found	No. Notices Sent Parents	No. Treated Since Last Examination
Defective speech	1	1	0
Anaemia	5	2	0
Irritable heart	2	1	0
Defective teeth	43	37	0
Hypertrophied tonsils	29	19	0
Adenoids	9	6	0
Enlarged glands	10	10	0
Unvaccinated	16	13	0
Pharnygitis	4	4	0
Elongated uvula	1	0	0
Total	120	93	0

The outdoor toilet at the Junior High School (grades 7 and 8) is far from being up to standard and should be condemned as unsanitary and obsolute.

G. A. TREDICK, M. D.

School Statistics—1920-21

ATTENDANCE

School and Teacher	Weeks	Boys	Girls	No. Tardy	Av. Daily Attendance	Per Cent Attendance
Junior High, grades 7 to 8, Lena E. Andrews	36	7	10	17	13	93
Grammar, grades 4 to 6, Greta Myers	36	20	10	166	20	95
Primary, grades 1 to 3, Maude H. Trefethen	36	16	17	102	24	94
Total or average	36	43	37	285	57	94

Visits : by Superintendent, 75 ; by School Board, 48 ; by others, 188.

COMPARATIVE TABLE FOR THREE YEARS

	1920-21	1919-20	1918-19
Number pupils registered	80	82	78
Average membership	60.1	70.3	68
Average daily attendance	57	64.3	62.3
Per cent of attendance	94	92	92
Cases of tardiness	285	444	402
Number in high school		9	14

PROMOTION AND RETARDATION

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
No. promoted	7	8	9	5	4	8	7	7	55
No. not promoted	1			1	3				5
No. not promoted, 2nd trial									
Average age Sept. 1, 1921	6.1	7.3	8	9.8	10.3	11.3	12	13	

ENROLLMENT BY GRADES, FALL 1921

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Junior High							9	7	16
Grammar				10	8	3			21
Primary	9	7	9						25
Total	9	7	9	10	8	3	9	7	62

ROLL OF HONOR

Perfect attendance one year—Niola Noyes, Geo. Thomas, Gertrude Gilliam, Clara Brackett.

Perfect attendance two terms—Lillian Cochran, Bessie Jackson, Lyndon Ricker, Olive Jackson, Mary Barker, Worth Pridham, Elsie Sylvester.

Perfect attendance one term—Frederick White, Kenneth Leary, Elsie Ricker, Phyllis Gilliam, Bradley Prohaska.

School Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, ROCKINGHAM, SS.

[L. S.]

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of New Castle, Qualified to Vote in District Affairs :—

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on Tuesday, the 14th of March, 1922, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose by ballot a moderator for the year ensuing.

2. To choose by ballot a clerk for the year ensuing.

3. To choose by ballot a treasurer for the year ensuing.

4. To choose by ballot one person as a member of the school board for three years.

5. To hear the reports of auditors, agents and committees heretofore chosen and pass any act relating to the same.

6. To see if the district will vote to make any alterations in the report of the school board recommending the amount of money required for the support of schools and payment of statutory obligations.

7. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant, and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 15th day of February, 1922.

HENRY M. CUSKLEY,
R. E. POOLE,
FRED R. NOYES,
Board of Education, of New Castle, N. H.

Vital Statistics of the Town of New Castle, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1921

BIRTHS

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Condition	Number	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
January 14	New Castle	Frank K. Dearborn, Jr.	m	L	1	w	Frank K. Dearborn	Evelyn Tarlton	w	New Castle	Electrician	No. Hampton, N. H.	New Castle
March 2	New Castle	—— Johnson	f	L	4	w	Olgia Johnson	—— Walsh	w	New Castle	Soldier	Kentucky	Ireland
May 1	New Castle	Clinton Bryzeal Harris	m	L	7	w	Joseph Harris	Katherine Nugent	w	New Castle	Machinist Helper	Springfield, Mo.	St. Johns, N. F.
June 7	Ft. Constitution	Viola Agnes Lloyd	f	L	2	w	Ira J. Lloyd	Beatrice Jones	w	Ft. Constitution	Soldier	U. S.	Massachusetts
July 27	New Castle	Guy Alvin Dow, Jr.	m	L	2	w	Guy A. Dow	Edna Poole	w	New Castle	Auto Mechanic	The Wiers, N. H.	Lynn, Mass.
July 31	New Castle	Charles Alonzo Piper	m	L	2	w	Alonzo C. Piper	Marguerite Tuttle	w	New Castle	Mechanic	E. Hingham, N. H.	Epping, N. H.
August 24	New Castle	Marion Bell Goodrich	f	L	3	w	William E. Goodrich	Marguerite G. Renfield	w	New Castle	Painter	East Haven, Conn.	Killingworth, Conn.
October 19	New Castle	Virginia Amy Batson	f	L	1	w	Wallace E. Batson	Eleanor F. Dixon	w	New Castle	Electrician Helper	East Candia, N. H.	Gloucester, Mass.
November 7	New Castle	Granville A. Jackson	m	L	5	w	Thomas Jackson	Era Amazeen	w	New Castle	Machinist	Hazelville, Del.	New Castle
December 27	New Castle	Sarah Isabel Wargo	f	L	8	w	Stephen Wargo	Jessie A. M. Meloon	w	New Castle	Machinist	So. Norwalk, Conn.	New Castle

MARRIAGES

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Age	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	No. Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
February 19	Lynn, Mass.	Wallace E. Batson	New Castle	25	w	Electrician	E. Candia, N. H.	Florence G. Healey Samuel E. Batson	Boston, Mass. New Castle	Housewife Pipefitter	1	Dwight M. Beck, Clergyman, Lynn, Mass.
		Eleanor F. Dixon	Lynn, Mass.	20	w	Clerk	Gloucester, Mass.	Edward Dixon Hattie G. Clark	New Castle, Eng. Gloucester, Mass.	 Housewife	1	
March 2	Portsmouth, N. H.	Clyde Vincent Blaisdell	Portsmouth, N. H.	30	w	Machine Operator	Laconia, N. H.	Annie Roe Hosea F. Blaisdell	Belmont, N. H. Gilford, N. H.	Housewife Blacksmith	2	Lucius H. Thayer, Congregational Minister, Portsmouth, N. H.
		Mildred F. Gilliam	New Castle	30	w	Housewife	Haverhill, Mass.	Florence Healy S. E. Batson	Boston, Mass. New Castle	Housewife Pipefitter	2	
November 21	Portsmouth, N. H.	Isaac C. H. Pridham	New Castle	50	w	Gardener	New Castle	Mary Ruce John Pridham	Kittery, Maine New Castle	Housekeeper Fisherman	1	Nelson Kellogg, Episcopal Clergyman, Portsmouth, N. H.
		Lena Lowe	New Castle	48	w	Housekeeper	Isles of Shoals	Lucy Hart Edwin A. Caswell	Isles of Shoals Rye	Housekeeper Gardener	2	

DEATHS

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Years	Age Months	Age Days	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Sin. Mar. Wid.	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
March 3	New Castle	—— Johnson			1	New Castle	f	w			Kentucky	Ireland	Olgia Johnson	Mayant Walsh
April 8	New Castle	Katherine B. Preble	80	7	22	New Castle	f	w	w	At. Home	Vermont	New Castle	Benjamin Yeaton	Mary J. Yeaton
April 24	New Castle	Gertrude Maude Ogles	21	9	29	Portsmouth, N. H.	f	w	m	Housewife	Kittery, Me.	New Castle	Fabrius Robinson	Annie L. Card
May 22	Concord, N. H.	Nathan White	82			New Castle	m	w	w		New Castle	Eliot, Me.	Thomas B. White	Julia Staples
December 26	New Castle	Louise Meloon	68	5		New Castle	f	w	w	At. Home	New Castle	New Castle	Rufus A. Yeaton	Louise A. Amazeen

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED R. NOYES, *Town Clerk.*

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